RECEIVED

JUL 1 6 2004



I hereby certify that on the date specified below, this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the United States Postal Service addressed to Box Non-Fee Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313-145

07/16/2004

Date

Tracy M. Heims

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

SATO et al.

Serial Number: 09/784,321

Group Art Unit: 1745

Filed: February 16, 2001

Examiner: Susy N. Tang Foster

Title: MULTI-LAYER ELECTRODE STRUCTURE AND MANUFACTURING SAME

AMENDMENT & REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

July 16, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Official Action of May 17, 2004, please reconsider the application in light of the following amendment and remarks. Applicant believes no extension is necessary. However, should there be any deficiencies or need for an extension, application hereby petitions for any necessary extension and authorizes the Director to charge applicant's charge account 50-2069.

1745

RIECEIVED CEVITAL FAX CEVITER

APEX JURIS

"AN INTERNATIONAL LEGAL TEAM"

13194 EDGEWATER LANE NE• SEATTLE, WA 98125 PHONE (208) 664-0314 • FAX (206) 664-0329

Email: tracy@apexjuris.com



JUL 1 6 2004

| FACSIMILE TRANSMITTAL SHEET | | | | |
|--|--|--|--|--|
| то: | FROM: | | | |
| Technology Center 1745 | Tracy M. Heims | | | |
| COMPANY: U.S. Patent & Trademark Office | DATE: 7/16/2004 | | | |
| FAX NUMBER: (703) 872-9306 | TOTAL NO. OF PAGES INCLUDING COVER: | | | |
| PHONE NUMBER: (571) 272-1293 | SENDER'S REFERENCE NUMBER: 001-03-016 | | | |
| RE: Amendment & Request for Reconsideration/Affidavit from Applicant | YOUR REFERENCE NUMBER: SN: 09/784,321 Filing Date: 02/16/2001 | | | |
| URGENT FOR REVIEW PLEASE | COMMENT PLEASE REPLY PLEASE FILE | | | |
| INFORMATION, MAY BE SUBJECT TO THE ATTORNEY-CLIENT INTENDED TO BE TRANSMITTED AND COMMUNICATED ONLY THIS COMMUNICATION IS NOT THE INTENDED RECIPIENT, O RECEIVE THIS COMMUNICATION FOR AND DELIVER THIS COMMUNICATION FOR THIS COMMUNICATION FOR THIS COMMUNICATION FOR THIS COMMUNICATION FOR THIS COMM | WITH THIS FACSIMILE COVER SHEET CONSTITUTES CONFIDENTIAL PRIVILEGE OR THE ATTORNEY WORK-PRODUCT DOCTRINE, AND IS OTHE INDIVIDUAL AND/OR BITTITY NAMED BELOW IF THE READER OF IS NOT AN AUTHORIZED EMPLOYEE OR AGENT RESPONSIBLE TO COMMUNICATION TO THE INTENDED RECIPIENT, YOU ARE HEREBY LICATION OF THIS COMMUNICATION IS STRICTLY PROHIBITED. IF YOU MIMEDIATELY NOTIFY ME BY TELEPHONE AND RETURN THE ORIGINAL STATES FIRST CLASS MAIL. | | | |
| First Named Inventor: Takashi Ikeda Title: Multi-Layer Electrode Structure | and Manufacturing Same | | | |
| Please direct any questions concerning phone number listed above. | g this application to Tracy M Heims at the | | | |
| | | | | |
| | Sincerely | | | |
| | Sincerely // | | | |
| | Sincerely John M Tracy M Heims | | | |
| | Spirit Film | | | |
| | Spirit Film | | | |

PTO/SB/97 (08-03)
Approved for use through 07/31/2008. OMB 0851-0031
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Certificate of Transmission under 37 CFR 1.8

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office

On______O7/16/2004

Date

Signature

Tracy M Heims

Typed or printed name of person signing Certificate

Note: Each paper must have its own certificate of transmission, or this certificate must identify each submitted paper.

- 1. Amendment and Request for Reconsideration
- 2. Signed Affidavit prepared by Applicant
- 3. Transmittal Form

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.8. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 36 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 1.8 minutes to complete, including gethering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will very depending upon the Individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestors for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Petent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1460, DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 and select option 2:

| | COLUMN CONTRACTOR CONTRACTOR | no persons are required to respond to Application Number | 09/784,321 | | |
|--|--|---|-------------------------------|---|--|
| т | RANSMITTAL | Filing Date | 02/16/2001 | | |
| FORM (to be used for ell correspondence after initial filing) | | First Named Invento | | | |
| | | Adleit | | 1745 | |
| (to be used to | ell correspondence alter luider | Examiner Name | | Susy N Tsang Foster | |
| | | 46 Attorney Docket Nur | | | |
| Total Number of | of Pages In This Submission | 15 Attorney Docket Nu | 001-03-010 | | |
| | | ENCLOSURES (Chec | all that apply) | | |
| | nsmittal Form | Drawing(s) Licensing-related Papers | to Gro | llowance Communication up I Communication to Board eals and Interferences | |
| 7 | Fee Attached nent/Reply | Petition Polition to Convert to a | Appea (Appea | I Communication to Group I Notice, Brief, Reply Brief) | |
| | After Final Affidavits/declaration(s) | Provisional Application Power of Attorney, Revo Change of Corresponder | ation Status Ce Address Other | Letter Enclosure(s) (please | |
| = | on of Time Request | Terminal Disclaimer Request for Refund | Ll Identif | y below): | |
| = | tion Disclosure Statement | CD. Number of CD(s) | | | |
| Certifled Docume | t Copy of Priority ant(s) se to Missing Parts/ | Remarks Attached are the Appliand an Affidavit by Ap | | e final office action | |
| | lete Application | | | | |
| Incompl | Response to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53 | | | | |
| lncompl | under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53 | | TORNEY, OR AGENT | | |
| Incompli Incompli | under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53 | | TORNEY, OR AGENT | | |
| Firm or Individual | SIGN/ Apex Juris, plic | ATURE OF APPLICANT, A | TORNEY, OR AGENT | | |
| Firm or Individual Signature | under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53 | ATURE OF APPLICANT, A | TORNEY, OR AGENT | | |
| Firm or Individual Signature | SIGN/ Apex Juris, plic 07/16/2004 | ATURE OF APPLICANT, A | | | |
| Firm or Individual Signature | SIGN/ Apex Juris, plic 07/16/2004 | ATURE OF APPLICANT, A | ISSION/MAILING | al Service with sufficient poslege 12004 | |
| Firm or Individual Signature | SIGN/ Apex Juris, plic 07/16/2004 at the correspondence is being an envelope addressed to: Gor | CERTIFICATE OF TRANSN a facsimilite transmitted to the USPTO or or mutilisaceurs of Parents Weshington, DC | ISSION/MAILING | tal Service with sufficient postage 2004 | |

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.5. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 12 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form end/or suggestators for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Tradement Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 (1-800-786-9199) and select option 2.